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Federal Communications Commission
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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW, Room TW-A325
Washington, DC 20554

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Re: WT Docket No. 02-353, Service Rules for Advanced Wireless Services in
the 1.7 and 2.1 GHz Bands

Ex Parte

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On May 10, 2005 David Wye and Neeti Tandon of Cingular Wireless met with members of the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau to discuss issues related to the possible revision of the band plan for Advanced Wireless Services. Bureau staff attending were: Peter Corea, Marty Liebman, Blaise Scinto, John Spencer, Jennifer Tomchin, Peter Trachtenberg, Steve Zak, and Mindy Littell (by telephone).

During that discussion, the question of how European countries have structured their band plans was raised. Pursuant to that question, Cingular investigated and discovered that of 15 EU Member States, only one uses a 2x5 MHz license block, while the remainder use 2x10 or 2x15 MHz blocks. The results are summarized in the attached slide.

Please associate this notification with the referenced docket proceeding. If there are any questions concerning this matter, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

David Wye
Executive Director, Federal Regulatory Affairs

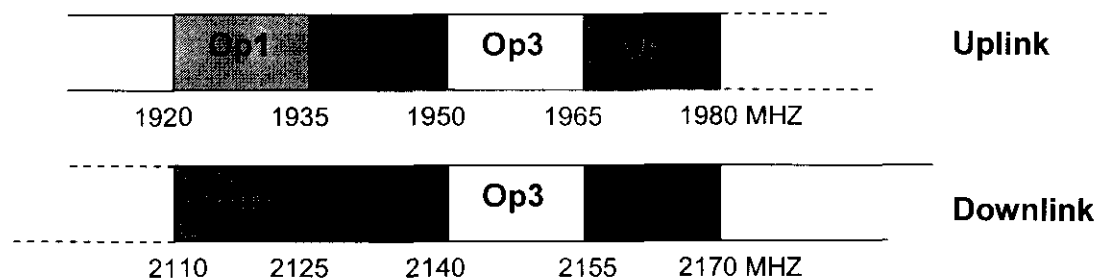
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3G Spectrum Allocations in 15 EU-Member States

in the bands 1920 – 1980 MHz (Uplink) and 2110 – 2170 MHz (Downlink)

Same Allocation > 50% Member States	Belgium
	Denmark
	Finland
	France
	Ireland
	Luxembourg
	Portugal
	Spain
	Sweden



Various Allocations Packages	Austria	3 Licenses with 2 x 10MHz, 3 Licenses with 2 x 5 MHz
	Germany	6 Licenses with 2 x 10MHz (two of them go back now to Government)
	Greece	1 License with 2 x 20 Mhz, 2 Licenses with 2 x 15 MHz, 1 License with 2 x 10MHz
	Italy, Netherlands, UK	2 Licenses with 2 x 15MHz, 3 Licenses with 2 x 10MHZ

Source: GSM Association